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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/765,258  
Filing Date: January 26, 2004  
Applicant: Beals  
Group Art Unit: 1742  
Examiner: Silkyin Ip  
Title: CREEP RESISTANT MAGNESIUM ALLOY  
Attorney Docket: 706501US2

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 17, 2004, please consider the remarks as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin at page 2.

**Remarks** begin at page 4.